



Central California Emergency Medical Services Agency

A Division of Fresno County
Department of Public Health

SPECIAL MEMORANDUM

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TO: All Fresno/Kings/Madera/Tulare EMS Providers, Hospitals, First Responders Agencies, and Interested Parties

FROM: Jim Andrews, M.D., EMS Medical Director
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DATE: July 7, 2021

SUBJECT: Implementation of EMS Policies and Procedures

#001 – Table of Contents and Revision Log
#530.27 – Paramedic Treatment Protocols – Behavioral Emergencies
#540.02 – Critical Care Paramedic Treatment Protocols – General Procedures

Effective July 7, 2021, the EMS Agency will be implementing the listed policies above. Copies of these policies will be available on the EMS Agency website at www.ccemsa.org

EMS Policy #001 – Table of Contents and Revision Log

The changes to this policy include the update to the latest revision dates of each policy. All users of the EMS policies and procedures manual should assure that they have the latest version of each policy and procedure.

EMS Policy #530.27 – Paramedic Treatment Protocols – Behavioral Emergencies

Midazolam has been moved from a Base Hospital Order to Standing Orders.

EMS Policy #540.02 – Critical Care Treatment Protocols – General Procedures

High Flow Nasal Cannula and monitoring of pre-established invasive blood pressure lines has been added to scope of practice.

Cryoprecipitate has been added to Blood/Blood Product Infusions orders.

Provisions for the sending physician to order repeat doses of fentanyl has been added to the order form.

Please contact Mato Parker, EMS Coordinator, at (559) 600-3387 if you have any questions.